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We are holding a grand month-end clean-up of oddments and short useful quantity pieces in Washing Fabrics, Silks, Black Dress Goods, Colored Dress Goods and Suitings, suitable for Waists, Coats, Skirts or Children's Going Away Clothes. Choices are offered from these collections at greatly reduced prices.

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THAT YONGE ST. CROSSING

Metropolitan Company Files an Appeal Against the Decision Given by Justice Falconbridge.

MRS. KNOWLES ASKS INJUNCTION.

To Restrain the Toronto General Trusts Company From Removing Furniture From Her House.

The Metropolitan Railway Company has filed its reasons, in the Court of Appeal, why the judgment of Mr. Justice Falconbridge, preventing them from connecting with the C.P.R. at North Toronto, should be reversed. It is set out that the company is empowered by its charter to make such connection and that application was made to the Railway Committee of the Privy Council for approval, which was duly granted. When they proceeded to lay down the connection they were restrained from so doing by order of Mr. Justice Falconbridge. They claim that under the agreement with the county governing the construction and operation of that portion of the railway which now runs within city limits, the company are expressly empowered to lay down such a switch on Yonge-street.

The city, on the other hand, contends that the company is subject entirely to municipal control, that any consent given by the city's counsel related to the method of the connection only, and that if it should be held that this has any more extended meaning, that it is not binding, as it was given against the express instructions of the City of Toronto.

Wants to Hold Her Furniture.

Mrs. Mary Knowles, 598 Church-street, will this morning apply in Single Court for an injunction to restrain the Toronto General Trusts Company from removing the furniture from her house. The Trust Company are executors of the estate of her late husband, Henry A. Knowles, who left life insurance amounting to $13,000, which the widow is claiming for herself and her son Norman. The company is claiming the furniture in the house on Church-street, as part of deceased's estate, while Mrs. Knowles states that the same were gifts to her by her late husband.

The Scotsman Disaster.

The Divisional Court yesterday dismissed an appeal by the Dominion Steamship Company from a decision of the Master-in-Chambers, who refused to dismiss Editor Dickinson's suit against the company on the ground that his pleadings failed to disclose a cause of action. Mr. Dickinson, who edits The Windsor World, lost his wife last October in the disaster which befell the steamer Scotsman.

Hoover v. Martin.

The Master-in-Chambers yesterday refused an application for an order to strike out the defendant's statement of defence in Hoover v. Martin. This is the action brought by Joseph Hoover of Toronto against D. M. Martin of Chatham, in which he claims $10,000 for the alienation of his wife's affections.

Tanning Company Appeals.

Some time ago the widow of Joseph Wesley Campbell of Acton recovered a judgment for $2000 damages for the death of her husband, who died from anthrax poisoning, contracted while handling South American hides at the works of the Acton Tanning Company. Yesterday, in the Court of Appeal, was argued the appeal of the Tanning Company from this judgment.

To-day's Lists.

Peremptory list for to-day's sittings of the Court of Appeal: Stroud v. Wiley, Bank of Montreal v. Kirkpatrick, Allen v. Nasmith, Culbertson v. McCullough.

Peremptory list for to-day's sittings of the Divisional Court: Babcock v. Standish, Ontario Mining Company v. Seybold, Malone v. Royal Loan and Savings Company, Fotherston v. Toronto General Trusts Company, Bannerman v. Lawyer.

The Demon Dyspepsia—In olden times it was a popular belief that demons moved invisibly through the ambient air seeking to enter into men and trouble them. At the present day the demon, dyspepsia, is at large in the same way, seeking habitation in those who by careless or unwise living invite him. And once he enters a man it is difficult to dislodge him. He that finds himself so disposed should know that a valiant friend to do battle for him with the unseen foe is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are ever ready for the trial. ed

EXTORTION AT PARIS FAIR

Mr. Robert B. Roosevelt Has Been There and He Says it is a Fake and a Fraud

WENT TO SEE THE SPY-GLASS FAKE

And Out of Revenge on Other Dupes Paid Another Franc to Be Swindled Again—The Cost.

New York, June 4.—Robert B. Roosevelt, just back from the Paris Exposition, in an interview printed to-day, has many criticisms to make of the Paris Exposition. He says of it:

"It is the worst fake and fraud that was ever perpetrated on mankind. The American Building at the Exposition is unsafe. I don't care what is said to the contrary, and I want to tell the people of New York what it is. I was there opening day, and know of my own personal knowledge that not half the people who wanted to go into it were allowed. The building was not more than half full at any time. If all the people who were turned back had got in at once the building, in my opinion, would have fallen.

Worse Than a Bowery Show.

"The Exposition is worse than a Bowery show, not as interesting as the most uninteresting show on the Bowery. Everything about it is a fake. I have read lots in the papers about the wonderful spy-glass that showed the moon. I went to see this spy-glass, and found it pointed to a magic-lantern. I detected the fake at once, but went on, just as did all other Americans, and paid another franc to see the next fake.

"Before I went to the Exposition, I calculated that a person could see the whole show for 360 francs. I discovered before I left that it cost just 1500 francs to see every fake."

Mr. Roosevelt praises the art exhibit, but complains of the extortion of the Parisians.

BICYCLISTS AND SCORCHING.

James Ready of Fergus Was Incautious, Collided With a Buggy, and Was Badly Hurt.

Fergus, Ont., June 4.—While returning from Arthur last night about 10.30 James Ready of this place, who was riding a bicycle, collided with a buggy, the shaft striking him on the left side of the face near the nose, piercing the side of his face, tearing away the jaw bone and left ear and about one-third of the scalp. The point of the shaft came out behind his left ear. The horse took fright, and he was carried thirty or forty yards on the shaft. The flesh giving way, he was thrown in the ditch. Medical aid was summoned at once, and he was removed to his home, where all that was possible at the time was done to relieve the injured boy. This morning Dr. Groves attended to the case, when he found it necessary to put two silver screws thru the jaw bone in order to make it rigid. About two hundred stitches were required to hold the torn flesh in its place. The marvel is that the boy was not killed instantly. One inch higher and the shaft would have penetrated the eye, which, however, is uninjured. Strong hopes are entertained for his recovery.

This accident should be a warning to those who persist in scorching along with their heads bent over the handlebars, and so are unable to see approaching danger. No blame is attached to the person who was driving the buggy.

JOHN BROWN CENTENARY.

Colored People Assembled in Brooklyn to Celebrate—Retaliation on Lynchers Advised.

New York, June 4.—T. Thomas Fortune, addressing, yesterday, several hundred colored people assembled in Brooklyn to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of John Brown, advised the audience to retaliate on the South for the lynching of the negroes of the South and for the injury to be done to them by their proposed disfranchisement. He said:

"It cost tons of blood to put the fifteenth amendment into the constitution, and it will cost tons of blood to put it out. You must organize and keep your powder dry, and be ready to demand an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth, for there is coming a great crisis for the negro in this country, in which much blood may be shed, and the first gun of the fight was fired at the Montgomery conference."

These remarks were applauded by the audience, which was assembled under the auspices of the Society of the Sons of North Carolina, an organization composed of colored men and women who formerly lived in that State.

Natural History Society.

The members of the Natural History Society spent a practical working evening last night, engaged in examining the mounting specimens obtained on a trip up the Humber last Saturday. Among the subjects for examination were the young lizard, which is interesting from the microscopist's point of view, owing to the ease with which the circulation of the blood in the exterior lungs can be seen. Specimens were also obtained of the microscopical algae, and some of the members were occupied in mounting pine pollen. The usual paper was not read. C. Armstrong, curator of the Canadian Institute, presided.

Fire in Kingston.

Kingston, Ont., June 4.—Fire broke out about 7 o'clock to-night in the storehouse of G. M. Wilkinson & Sons, Wellington-street, but was speedily subdued by the fire brigade. The damage will be quite serious to the stock of groceries, crockery and liquors from smoke and water. The firm was insured.

Mr. L. W. Shannon was to-night appointed city clerk of Kingston, vice W. M. Drennan, deceased.

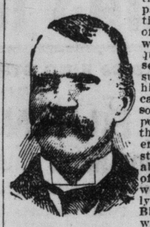
Death of Father Cicolari.

Kingston, June 4.—Rev. Father Cicolari, aged 46, died this morning. Deceased was born in Kingston and educated at St. Michael's College, Toronto, graduating at Laval University, Quebec. He had had charge of parishes in the vicinity of Alexandria, and for the past 15 years at Erinsville.

FREE TO THE RUPTURED.

Dr. W. S. Rice, the Well-Known Authority, Sends a Trial of His Famous Method Free to All.

Out of the chaos of old-time failure comes a new and startling cure for rupture. Dr. W. S. Rice, Box K, 9½ Adelaide-street East, Toronto, Ont., has invented a method that cures without pain, danger, operation or an hour's loss of time from the day's work. To avoid all questions of doubt he sends free to every sufferer a free trial of his method, and there can be no earthly reason why anyone, rich or poor, should not avail themselves of this generous offer. As an instance of this remarkable method the cure of William Bigford, a well-known and highly-esteemed citizen of Bishop's Mills, Ont., will be a welcome piece of intelligence.



WM. BIGFORD.

Mr. Bigford says: I am pleased to say that I have been permanently cured of rupture by Dr. Rice's remarkable method. I suffered eight years, tried all kinds of trusses without help, and now I cannot be too thankful in expressing my appreciation of Dr. Rice's wonderful system of curing rupture, and will gladly recommend it to all sufferers, as I know it will cure them.

Send for this free trial. Don't be backward. It will surprise you with its wonderful power to heal. And if you know of other ruptured people ask them to write or write for them. Do not fail to write at once; do so to-day. 2

WHAT IS UNTOLD

Ours would not be the stock of gas stoves it is if we could do it justice in the space of any advertisement. If Niagara could be word-painted, it wouldn't be Niagara. All we can do here is to give you a few items and prices, and ask you to come in and see for yourself. We can then show you the stoves in operation, and will be pleased to give you every information about them.

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THE DAILY CITY HALL SCRAP

Spence Comes in For Hard Knocks Because He Told the Fire Chief to Ring Joyous Bells

OVER PRETORIA'S SURRENDER.

Sheppard Also Gets Into the Ring at the Board of Control and Fights a Round or Two.

Ald. Sheppard, who has never missed an opportunity of spreading himself before the Board of Control as an open book on etiquet, which the Mayor and Alderman Spence might frequently and advantageously model themselves upon, got into a hot scrap yesterday, thereby falling from a very lofty pinnacle of elegance. It was with Ald. Spence he had the trouble.

The heir apparent to the chief magistracy also heard the Mayor's rebuke that he had been infringing upon the royal rights and prorogatives. Ald. Spence confessed that it was he who had ordered the ringing of the joy bells which started the six and thirty hours of solid enjoyment last week.

The interesting discussion which took place about both these incidents will be found reported below.

Tenders for Coal.

When the board assembled, Ald. Sheppard explained that there was an error about the tenders for coal. A certain quantity of coal was specified, and it was the intention that the city could take any quantity smaller than the specification. But in one tender the words "increase or decrease" appeared, whereas the words "increase or" should have been struck out. It was a clerical error, but it rendered the calling of fresh tenders necessary.

Those Echoing Bells.

The Mayor: There is one thing I wish to call attention to. By whose authority were the bells rung on Thursday night?

Ald. Sheppard: The night of the jubilation? That was Wednesday.

The Mayor: Yes, the night of the jubilation.

Ald. Spence: The chief of the fire brigade asked me, Mr. Mayor, and I said to him, certainly I would ring the bells. I told him he would be right in doing it.

A Case of Spontaneous Combustion.

Ald. Sheppard: I heard the bells spontaneously rung all over the city.

The Mayor: It turned out to have been a piece of stupidity. They had no War Office report, and I think it was a very improper thing for anyone else to have authorized the ringing of the bells when all heads of departments know my telephone number. I was not consulted about it at all.

Ald. Spence: The chief of the fire department said to me that he could not find the Mayor or any other members of the Board of Control, and under the circumstances he asked me what to do. I said to him, go ahead and ring the bells good and hard for five minutes or so. I thought that the town should know the news.

The Mayor: They did not know they were deceived in five minutes.

Ald. Spence: Oh, Mr. Mayor—

The Mayor in it, Too.

The Mayor: It was not a War Office despatch. It was telephoned me, and I asked whether it was a War Office despatch.

Ald. Spence: It was the despatch upon which you, Mr. Mayor, proclaimed a public holiday. You did not proclaim the public holiday on the bells.

The Mayor: Oh, I know.

Docked for Their Loyalty.

Ald. Spence: It was a good thing. The people wanted a stirring up and they got it. They had a good time. And as to you, Mr. Mayor, I think you acted loyally, patriotically and liberally in proclaiming the public holiday. But there is one thing now. I find that a number of civic employes who did not know in the morning came to their work and were told at noon of the holiday. They were, I think, in the Waterworks Department. They went home and had their half holiday, but at the end of the week they found they had been docked half a day's pay.

The Mayor: That was not the intention of the holiday. There ought to be nothing whatever deducted.

The Men Who Got Stuck.

Ald. Spence: This board should set it right. Those men are paid by the day, but some of them have been as long as five years in the employment of the city, and they are, in fact, permanent employes, although the day's pay. I understand the same thing was done in Mr. Jones' department with the scavengers. Men who are driving their own carts and are paid by the day found they were to be docked the day's pay.

The Mayor: The holiday should not affect them in any way.

Ald. Spence: This board should settle the matter, so that these men being absent should be no loss of money to them.

Who Docked the Men?

The Mayor: Whoever docked these men should be reprimanded.

The board concurred, and the red tape men will be disciplined.

The Mayor: I think the surrender of Johannesburg was in itself sufficient for the jubilation.

The subject then dropped.

A Run on the Woodpile.

Ald. Bowman brought the following letter, which he had received, before the board:

Dear Sir,—During Wednesday and Thursday nights the general public came into our yard, 1193 Queen-street West, and stole about $16 worth of wood and burned it on the street just outside. Now we don't mind celebrating to the extent of a dollar or two, but this was a little too much, and we have been given to understand the police stood by and saw it done. As you are one of the chief officers of the city, we thought we would ask you if there was not some way whereby we might get paid for this loss from the city. Yours truly, F. Rogers & Co.

It is Police Business.

Ald. Bowman: There will be lots of these communications coming in and we will have to take them seriously. We may as well take this seriously to-day.

Ald. Sheppard: I think they have no right to go into any man's yard and take his wood for jubilation or anything else.

The Mayor: I think the officers who are said to have allowed this to be done should pay. I certainly object to the money coming out of the city treasury.

Ald. Sheppard: I move that this communication be sent to the Police Board. It is the proper place to deal with it.

Ald. Bowman: That will do. If the paid officers of the city stood by and permitted this they made us liable.

The Firemen's Straw Hats.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Control a peculiar irregularity in the awarding of the contract for the supply of firemen's summer hats was brought up by the Mayor, and, after a discussion, the city law department was instructed to advise the board as to the legality of such a contract. Mr. Caswell sent a letter to the board yesterday, which was away off the point upon which he had been instructed to advise the controllers. When the letter was read there was a general laugh, and a perfunctory discussion gradually drifted back to the irregular method of supplying the firemen's hats.

Ald. Sheppard: The whole thing was done in the best possible way. The hats bought were declared to be the best for the money.

Ald. Spence: By a few of the men who were consulted about it. But it should not rest with the few who were in the way of being consulted.

Democracy Run Mad.

The Mayor: This is democracy run mad.

Ald. Spence: Have the men got the hats?

Secretary McQueen: An order has been given for the hats, so the secretary of the Fire Department states.

Ald. Sheppard: The very best that could be done was done.

Ald. Spence: The best for the man who got the contract.

The Mayor: The way in which it was done was the best for the friends of the parties who had the placing of the contract. It does not matter what we do now.

Ald. Spence: No; as the hats have been supplied.

Ald. Sheppard: Ald. Spence was very anxious to stop the men getting the hats. That is always his way.

Ald. Spence: All I have said about this matter is that it was a bad way of letting the contract.

The Mayor: I am glad there are others on the board. [Laughter.]

Ald. Sheppard: This is all because one of Ald. Spence's friends did not get the contract.

Then the Racket Occurred.

Ald. Spence: Ald. Spence did not know who got the contract or who tendered. That is one of your contemptible insinuations without a shred of foundation to it.

Ald. Sheppard: It is not more contemptible than many of the insinuations of the most contemptible member of this Council, which you are throwing out against everybody else.

Ald. Spence: It is as false as malicious.

Ald. Sheppard: It is the truth.

Ald. Spence: The insinuation that I or any friend of mine was disappointed, or that there is any disappointment because a friend of mine did not get the contract, is so contemptible that Ald. Sheppard makes it without daring to suggest any shred of proof, and he knows in his heart of hearts that there is not a particle of truth in it.

Ald. Sheppard: It is as true as your insinuation that this contract was made for the friends of the parties who let the contract.

Ald. Spence: It is a suggestion so contemptible that in making it Ald. Sheppard seeks to shield himself behind such a statement as he now attributes to me. I made no such remark.

Ald. Sheppard: You did.

Ald. Spence: I did not, and I will tell you what I did say. I said it was a good thing for the man who got that contract.

Ald. Bowman: I for one don't like to see these personal squabbles.

The Mayor: Let us get on with the business.

Ald. Spence and Sheppard contradicted each other again, and then stopped short.

Technical School Building.

Architect Wickson laid before the board his report and plans on the requirements of a Technical School building. He figured out that a new building to accommodate 1261 pupils, with 45,888 square feet of floor space, could be built for $100,000, exclusive of the land. The Athletic Club building could be altered to accommodate an attendance of 977, with 30,216 square feet of floor space.

To Ald. Sheppard he said that the new building could be put up in 12 months, and the Athletic Club building could be altered in three months.

The Mayor is Sarcastic.

The Mayor said he had heard it in strictest confidence, and, of course, told the board in confidence too, that the Athletic Club property had been purchased.

Mr. Wickson's report was sent on to Council.

Conference Between Lawyers.

The board, after some discussion, approved of Mr. Fullerton's suggestion that the matter in dispute between the city and the Street Railway Company, night transfers, modern cars, etc., be referred to a consultation between himself, Mr. S. H. Blake and the board.

The Neelon plant, which is stowed away on a city lot at Dufferin-street and King, was ordered to be advertised for sale.

There was some talk about Mr. Lennox and the closing of accounts, but it was all irrelevant.

The Board decided to hold its regular meetings on alternate Thursdays, at 3.15. The frequency of special meetings at 10.30 in the morning has been hard upon some members of the board.

The Mayor complained of ill-timed calling of committee meetings. He thought there should be a bylaw in which this matter could be regulated in some way.

AT THE WORKS COMMITTEE.

Scavengers Docked Because They Celebrated Pretoria—Lansdowne-Avenue Subway—Civic Notes.

The Works Committee met at the same hour as the Board of Control yesterday afternoon.

Some time was spent upon the attempt to hit the scavengers and other civic employes below the belt by docking them for the Pretoria holiday. It was admitted that some one had blundered.

Ald. Graham moved that $30,000 be provided by money bylaw for securing a southern entrance to High Park on the same terms which the Assessment Commissioner had previously reported. He had letters on the subject, one from R. J. Fleming, saying there would be no difficulty in dealing with the property owners on the same basis as before.

Ald. Hubbard opposed the motion, and on a show it was declared lost.

Later the Mayor moved that the Assessment Commissioner be requested to bring in a report upon the question of a southern entrance to High Park. This was also lost, on a show of hands.

Lansdowne-Avenue Subway.

The Engineer's recommendation of a Lansdowne-avenue subway was laid over, pending a report by the Assessment Commissioner upon the matter of land damages. The Engineer's recommendation is:

"I recommend that a subway be constructed, and forward herewith two estimates, one for a subway with a roadway 24 feet wide between curbs, and a 5-foot concrete sidewalk on each side. The total cost of this subway, exclusive of land damages, is approximately $40,000. The cost of a subway 42 feet wide between curbs and a 6-foot concrete sidewalk on each side is approximately $60,000. By the construction of a subway at Lansdowne-avenue, this thorofare will be made a continuous street, extending from Queen-street to the north limits of the city, and I think it would be advisable to construct the subway 42 feet wide between curbs."

No Tracks on Arthur-Street.

A letter was read from Manager Keating of the Street Railway Company, saying that tracks could not be laid on Arthur-street for some time to come.

The Solicitor will give an opinion upon the Arthur-street extension.

Revenue-Producing Mains.

With regard to the proposed revenue-producing water mains, the Engineer reported:

"I beg to advise the committee that the revenue at present derivable is not sufficient to meet the interest and sinking fund on 30-year debentures. However, as there appears to be at present a question as to whether all property holders are not entitled, under existing conditions, to the city water upon application, I am recommending the extension of the mains in this manner, so that the committee may be cognizant of the exact condition under which they are recommended, and take such action as they may think proper."

City Treasurer Coady wrote that there was no money for the Engineer's recommendation, and the committee decided to refer the whole matter to the Solicitor.

The committee adjourned early to visit Beachall-street, which the William Davies Company wish closed.

City Hall Notes.

Dr. Mewburn, St. Patrick-street, complains to the Mayor that great danger is run thru firecrackers and bonfires. The practice should, he says, be stopped. The doctor regrets that the adult idiots who started the recent bonfires did not get their fingers burnt. Unless the Mayor takes action, Dr. Mewburn fears a repetition of the Chicago fire.

The northeast approach to the Winchester-street bridge being in a dangerous condition, from recent rains, the Engineer has ordered it to be closed, pending examination.

The secretary of the Public School Board communicates to the Mayor, and recommends the purchase of a school site from G. C. Heward, on the east side of Bathurst-street, north of College, with a frontage of 300 feet, and a depth of 135 feet, for $13,700.

John L. Phillips, secretary of the Builders' Exchange, complains in a letter to the Mayor of a grievance to which builders are subjected by the present method of collecting water rates for building operations. Time and money, it is claimed, are lost in making compliance with the regulations.

CANNON BALL TRAIN HELD UP.

Masked Men Climbed Into the Engine, But the Express Messenger Was Game.

Longview, Texas, June 4.—The northbound "Cannonball" train on the International & Great Northern was held up after midnight near Price's Switch, sixty miles south of this city.

A pile of ties was placed on the track, and as the train come to a stop three masked men climbed into the engine. They forced the engineer and fireman to uncouple the mail, baggage and express cars and pull them out two miles from the remainder of the train. The robbers then commanded Express Messenger Rutherford to open the door of his car. Failing to get any response, the robbers made Fireman Love break a hole in the end of the car. Love was forced in, and the messenger fired past his head, barely missing the robbers, who then undertook to kill Rutherford by shooting thru the side of the car. In the confusion Engineer Rich crawled away to his engine, pulled the throttle wide open and left the robbers behind. A quick run was made to Jacksonville, 15 miles north, where bloodhounds were secured to chase the robbers.

THREE MEN SHOT DOWN.

An Affray in Texas Which Resulted From an Old Feud—Factions Met in Court House.

San Augustine, Texas, June 4.—Three prominent men lost their lives in a shooting affray at the Court House to-day. They were: Felix Roberts, correspondent of The Galveston News; Sid Roberts, Sheriff Noel Roberts.

A few weeks ago Sheriff George Wall was shot to death by Curd Borders, as the result of an old feud. Wall's nephew, Noel Roberts, was appointed sheriff. Last Saturday the second life was taken in the quarrel, when Eugene Wall, son of the murdered sheriff, killed Benjamin Brooks, a member of the opposing faction.

To-day the contending factions met in the Court House here. All were heavily armed, and quickly lined up for a battle. The sheriff and two of his family fell before the deadly fire of their enemies. More trouble is feared, as many of the dead men's friends have started to the scene from Nacogdoches.

Telegrams have been sent to Gov. Sayers requesting him to call out the militia.

SHIPPING THE HORSES.

Canadian Remounts for the Army in South Africa Are Going Forward.

To-day 600 of the British cavalry remounts which have been purchased in Ontario by Major Dent will be shipped to Montreal. Three hundred were forwarded on Sunday, and there will soon be another shipment of 300 to go east. So far, 970 horses have passed inspection, but before the demand is satisfied several hundred more will have to be purchased. About 500 horses are lodged in the stables at the Exhibition grounds, and 40 stablemen are feeding them and keeping them in shape for inspection. The horses when passed are branded with a number on the front round part of the hoof. Mr. Walter Harland Smith of Grand's Repository buys the horses and submits them to Major Dent for his rigorous inspection. The average price paid by the Imperial authorities is said to be $150. Rejected horses are sold by auction. Some Canadian cowboys are at the Exhibition grounds breaking in the uninitiated equines.

Board of Trade Council.

The Council of the Board of Trade met yesterday afternoon, and received a report from the committee appointed to look into a case where the Government compromised with a Montreal firm charged with defrauding the customs. After some discussion, Messrs. Peleg Howland (chairman), John Macdonald, James D. Allan and P. H. Burton were appointed a committee to further look into the matter and report at a meeting of the Council to be held next Monday afternoon. Messrs. J. H. Lake, jeweller, and W. S. Alley, wholesale clothier, were elected members.

License Commissioners.

The Toronto Board of License Commissioners met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering applications for renewal of wholesale licenses. The following were granted: Adams & Burns, 3 East Front-street; George J. Foy, 47 East Front-street; William Ince, 43 East Front-street; Willson S. Howard, 29 East Front-street, and George McConnell, 57 Colborne-street. The transfer of the Grand Central Hotel at 57 Simcoe-street from William I. Thompson to Peter Collin was approved of.

A German Journalist.

Dr. Johannes Trojan of Berlin, Germany, editor of The Kladderdatsch, a leading political paper of the Fatherland, is visiting relatives in the city. He is very much pleased with Canada.

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THE WEST ELGIN TRAVESTY.

Duplicate Ballots Couldn't Be Printed by the Contractor—The Wrong Box Produced.

The West Elgin Commission failed to dig up anything startling yesterday to add to the crop of sensational disclosures that have lately marked the quasi-judicial voyage thru the bogholes and morasses of corruption in West Elgin.

The first witness was William J. Foster, foreman in the printing department of Warwick Bros. & Rutter, who testified that it would be impossible for a duplicate set of ballots to have been printed in the establishment without his knowledge. All work of this character was under his personal supervision. Immediately the ballots were printed the forms were broken up.

Wrong Ballot Box Produced.

Edwin Long, a clerk in the office of Kerr & Macdonald, was present at the inspection of West Elgin ballots in Osgoode Hall on March 24, 1899, and succeeding days. On one occasion the wrong ballot box had been produced, but he could not say it was in the West Elgin case.

Shiftless Handling.

J. S. Cartwright of Osgoode Hall was recalled and asked if he could fix the date of the receipt of the West Elgin ballot box at Osgoode Hall. This he was unable to do, but thought it was on March 24. He recollected that a wrong box had been brought on one occasion, but was not positive that it was in the West Elgin case. There was nothing on the outside of the box to indicate its contents, and these could only be discovered upon opening it.

Robertson Got the Wrong Box.

James A. Roberton, a messenger at the Parliament Buildings, told of bringing the wrong ballot box to Osgoode Hall by mistake, about March 17. He thought it might have been the East Elgin box, as they were received at the same time, and there was nothing to distinguish them. He changed the box for the right one a few days after.

This completed the evidence to be taken by the commission, unless something unforeseen arises, and the commissioners adjourned to meet again on June 22 to consider the preparation of a report.

JOY ON BRUNSWICK-AVENUE.

Completion of the Asphalt Celebrated With Music, Processions and Fireworks.

Enthusiasm over good roads was shown on a large scale on Brunswick-avenue last night. The residents of the street turned out to celebrate the completion of the asphalt pavement from College to Bloor-street and hundreds of residents of neighboring streets were present to assist in the celebration.

At Harbord-street crossing a bandstand had been erected, and a band discoursed popular music for over two hours.

Nearly every house along the street was prettily decorated with flags, Chinese lanterns, incandescent lights, etc., and the avenue presented a gala appearance.

Many of the residents had invested generously in fireworks, and the roar of firecrackers, as well as the flare of rockets and Roman candles, counted amongst the principal features of the celebration.

The Queen City Bicycle Club took an active part in the affair, and so did the Canada Cycle & Motor Co., the employes turning out over 50 strong, with gaily decorated wheels, as well as the motor quad, motor tricycle and numerous tandems. Ex-Champion T. B. McCarthy created much amusement by riding a miniature bicycle, the smallest ever turned out in a Canadian factory.

There was a large procession up and down the street, in which the residents, the Salvation Army, the U.C.C. boys and the members of several bicycle clubs participated.

The celebration was not over until nearly midnight.

TWO BROTHERS DROWNED.

Went Out in a Boat Without Oars and Tried to Wade Ashore, But Failed.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., June 4.—Two brothers were drowned, while a third narrowly escaped death, at a lake at Stormville, Dutchess County, on Sunday. A number of boys were playing on the bank of the lake. In the party were three brothers, sons of a farmer, Lewis Johnson. The three boys got into a rowboat and drifted out on the lake. There were no oars in the boat, and, thinking that the water was shallow enough to wade ashore, they all jumped out of the boat. To their surprise and intense alarm they found that they could not touch bottom. Only one of the boys could swim, and the other two brothers were drowned.

Rev. Dr. Chown Eulogized.

At the last meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of Wesley Church, the following resolution was carried unanimously by a standing vote: "That this board cannot allow this opportunity to pass without recording our high appreciation of our pastor, the Rev. S. D. Chown, D.D., whose term of office will soon be brought to a close. Your pulpit ministrations have been marked by much thoughtfulness and earnestness, and have tended to raise your flock to a higher standard of Christian living. We also desire to wish you every success in your new sphere of labor wherever it may be, and will ever pray that God's choicest blessings may rest upon yourself and family."

Easy for These Editors.

This afternoon a reception committee, composed of members of the Canadian Press Association, will go over to Queenston to meet the Western Canada Press Association members, who are on their annual excursion. The whole party will come to Toronto in the evening, and on board the steamer a banquet will be tendered to the western journalists. During their stay the visitors will be driven around the city and shown all the sights of interest, as well as being entertained at the Island. The party will go east from Toronto, and will be given receptions in the larger cities.

PIE VS. WHISKEY.

A Debate Which Gives Pie the Worst of It.

Dyspepsia is a Greater Curse Than Intemperance Because Wider Spread—Pie the Greatest Cause—Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets the Greatest Cure.

"Pie," said an eminent public man recently, "is a greater curse to this country than whiskey."

"Pie doesn't break up a man's home," said the temperance man.

"Wait a moment," said the first man. "How many drunkards are there in this country?"

"I don't know," said the temperance man. "I don't know, either," said the other, "but in proportion to population there are but few. Now, let me ask you in how many homes in Canada is pie excluded."

"Not many," admitted the temperance man.

"Pie," said the other, earnestly, "is the greatest cause of Dyspepsia in this country. Ask physicians if this is not true. And, further, Dyspepsia, with its various symptoms of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Foul Breath, Wind on the Stomach, Biliousness, Waterbrash and Catarrh of the Stomach, causes more bodily pain and discomfort to the sufferer than do the effects of alcohol. Talk of the unhappiness of families! What could be worse than a whole pie-eating family with Chronic Dyspepsia? I know of lots of them—in fact, my own was the same way."

"What did you do about it?" asked the temperance man. "Taboo pie?"

"Not quite so far as that," said the prominent public man, smiling. "No, we use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. We can eat anything we like now."

"How much are they?" asked his friend. "Fifty cents a box at all drug stores," said the other.

FATAL FIRE AT FOXBORO.

George H. Josselyn Was Killed and Three Others Were Injured—Loss $50,000.

Foxboro, Mass., June 4.—The Town Hall, containing the town offices, the high, grammar and three intermediate schools, was burned early to-day. George H. Josselyn was killed, and three others were injured, one so badly that it is feared he will die.

The financial loss is estimated at $50,000, and the building was insured for $30,000.

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A Canadian Knighted.

Windsor, England, June 4.—In St. George's Chapel here to-day, in the presence of all the military knights, Major C. H. Dale, late of the Canadian militia, was installed as a military knight.

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